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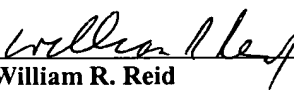
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- ☒ Postcard
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- ☐ Application Data Sheet (\_\_\_\_ pages)
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- ☐ Copy of PCT Request including Declaration (\_\_\_\_ pages)
- ☐ Copy of Declaration (\_\_\_\_ pages)
- ☐ Copy of Assignment (\_\_\_\_ pages)
- ☐ Assignment Cover Sheet
- ☒ Petition for Extension of Time (2 pages) (in duplicate)
- ☒ Letter Transmitting Missing Requirements (2 pages) (in duplicate)
- ☒ Copy of Declaration for Patent (2 pages)
- ☒ Form PCT/DO/EO/905 (371 Formalities Notice) (2 pages)

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**LETTER TRANSMITTING MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 USC 371**

With reference to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 USC 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office, mailed June 13, 2006, here is a new **Declaration for Patent** for this case, appropriately identifying the citizenship of each inventor.

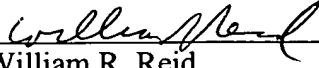
This document relates to this application for which Form PTO-1390 was filed on October 14, 2005, and has been signed by the inventors whose names were given on the Application. Acceptance of this Declaration and filing of the same is requested.

Please charge \$130 to Deposit Account No. 08-2336 to cover the surcharge required for late filing of the Declaration. For this purpose this letter is submitted in duplicate. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 08-2336.

A Petition for Extension of Time accompanies this communication.

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### NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 10/14/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 10/14/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 10/14/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 10/14/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 10/14/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 10/14/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 10/14/2005
- Assignment filed on 10/14/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 10/14/2005
- Specification filed on 10/14/2005
- Claims filed on 10/14/2005
- Abstracts filed on 10/14/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - does not identify the citizenship of each inventor.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the

missing items identified in this letter.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity:

- **\$130** Surcharge.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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